



STATE OF CONNECTICUT
DEPARTMENT of EMERGENCY SERVICES and PUBLIC PROTECTION
Police Officer Standards and Training Council
Connecticut Police Academy

TO: Connecticut Chiefs of Police
Connecticut Police Training Officers
Connecticut State Police Resident Troopers
Connecticut State Police Training Academy

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SUBJECT: **NEW Use-of-Force Reporting Form and Guidelines**

TUITION: **FREE**

COURSE ANNOUNCEMENT

The Department of Emergency Services and Public Protection, Police Officer Standards and Training Field Services Training Division, is offering a two-hour (2) training seminar titled “**New Use-of-Force Reporting Form and Guidelines.**” This training is meant for all Supervisors, agency Training Officers, and Use-of-Force instructors. These training sessions are scheduled for the dates listed below at the Connecticut Police Academy, 285 Preston Avenue, Meriden, CT. There will be two (2) sessions per date. The Morning Session will be from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM, the afternoon Session will be from 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM in classroom 9/10 and can accommodate fifty (50) students. POSTC Dress code is in effect for this training. **All sessions are identical and need only be attended once THIS IS NOT A MANDATORY TRAINING. Please indicate on your registration forms if you are registering for the AM or PM Session.**

Monday, May 23, 2022	Registration Closing date Monday, May 9, 2022
Wednesday, May 25, 2022	Registration Closing date Wednesday, May 11, 2022
Tuesday, June 7, 2022	Registration Closing date Tuesday, May 24, 2022
Thursday, June 9, 2022	Registration Closing date Thursday, May 26, 2022

THIS TRAINING IS SEPARATE AND DISTINCT FROM THE TRAINING COURSE FOR USE-OF-FORCE INSTRUCTORS WHICH REVIEWED THE NEW USE-OF-FORCE MODEL POLICY.

The Police Officer Standards and Training Council (POSTC) has worked with the Office of Policy and Management to implement the new use-of-force reporting requirements outlined in C.G.S. 7-282e. POSTC has developed a new use-of-force reporting form, which all agencies will be mandated to use effective July 1, 2022. In these sessions, we will discuss which incidents must be reported to the state and review the new form that will be used. We will also discuss the consolidation of reporting requirements for CEW incidents and all other use-of-force incidents. The instruction will be presented by Kenneth Barone of the Institute for Municipal and Regional Policy (IMRP) located at the University of Connecticut.

Please complete a registration form from the web and fax it to (203) 238-6119 or email it to William Tanner at William.tanner@ct.gov **no later than the closing date.** If you have any questions, please contact William Tanner at 203-427-2625. [Registration Form](#)

Police Personnel who successfully complete this seminar will receive Review Training Credit as follows: Curriculum Area 209: Use-of-Force, 1 hour.

Training Officers: Please be sure to include your department email address and the email of the student to be enrolled on all applications to assure prompt communications of all in-service training matters.

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